Robert Rivers Dies in a Mysterious Manner

WITH MORPHINE BY HIS SIDE

His Friends and Physicians Unable to Tell the Cause of Death-Coroner Penwarden to Investigate.

There are some perplexing circumstances surrounding the death of Robert Rivers, which occurred last Thurslay morning about 4:30 o'clock. At 3 s'clock, Dr. Joseph Albright was awakened at his residence, No. 33 Scribner street, and informed that he was wanted at No. 33 West Bridge street, where a man was dying. Arriving at the number given, he found Eivers gasping his last. His respiration brothers and two sisters. Within was six, when it should have been Cartwight of this city is one of the sighteen or twenty. The doctor tried to srouse him, but n vain. He admin-istered stimulants, but was no more successful. Rivers died at 4:30. His processful. Rivers died at 4.30. His brother, Frank Rivers, with whom he was staying, said that on Thursday afternoon he had removed Robert had been lo. 90 Kent street, where he had been breated him, having lanced it twice and street. stherwise prescribed for him. In the avening of that day he suffered conerable pain, but is fore retiring, said he felt somewhat better and was sure that he purchased six glasses of beer, that when he hald down and had some In police court vesterday he said that Mrs. Frank Rivers went to bed, but the latter did not disrobe. Just before 3 o'clock she tiptoed into Robert's room to see how he was getting along. His breathing was labored and stertorous. She concluded he was sleeping and results and the grounds of desertion.

She awake her hu-band and together they went into the room. Robert was lying with his head hanging over the edge of the bed.

Near by was a vial of morphine, part of the contents of which had been taken. Dr. Albright knew nothing further than this about the case. He tid not know whether the drus and her was a will suicidal in the case. He tid not know whether the drus and her was a wall of more than the case. He tid not know whether the drus and her with suicidal in the case. He tid not know whether the drus and her with suicidal in the case. He tid not know whether the drus and her with suicidal in the case. He tid not know whether the drus and her with suicidal in the case. He tid not know whether the drus are the case. He tid not know whether the drus are the case. He tid not know whether the drus are the case. He tid not know whether the drus are the case. He tid not know whether the drus are the case. He tid not know whether the drus are the case. He tid not know whether the drus are the case. He tid not know whether the drus are the case. mid he did not inform the coroner besause Undertaker William Koch, whose establishment is located on Bridge street, and who had energe of the re-

street, and who had enarge of the remains, told him it was not necessary.

Frank Rivers said that his brother had not appeared despondent. That on the contrary he was to the best of his knowledge happily situated. He was 22 years of age, worked in the brush factory and appeared satisfied with life. His opinion was that his brother had taken the deadly drug for the purpose of alleviating the pain which he was suffering, and had taken an overdose.

John Taylor, Rivers' room-mate at No. 90 Kent street, said that the de-ceased first complained last Monday. He did not think that he had taken adicine other than that prescribed by Dr. McPnerson. William Koch, the undertaker, on being asked why be fid not report the case to the coroner, mid it was not his business to investigate the cause of death.

Doctor Albright secured a burial pernit yesterday, and assigned the cause of leath as "morphine poisoning." The inneral was to be held today at 1 'clock, but Coroner Penwarden's notice directed to the case last night and will hold an inquest before the body

WANTED IN MUSKEGON.

Two "Skin" Game Artists Arrested by City Detectives.

Detectives Gast and Jakeway arrested David DeVries in Winegar's furniture store on South Division street, yesterday afternoon. The night before they arrested John Kroosema. Both are wanted by the Muskegon aheriff on a charge of grand larceny. The circumstances which led to their arrest, develope an old-fashioned skin One of the men approached John Van Dyke, a Muskegon susceptible, for the purpose of buying a horse and carriage. The negotiations reand carriage. The negotiations resulted in \$203 being agreed upon as the price. De Vries did the talking. He didn't: know Kroosema, but as a matter of fact they were pals and worked together. De Vries didn't have the cash, but had a deed to forty acres of land which he left with Van Dyke as a guarantee that as soon as be arrived in Grand Rapids he would send back \$200 and take up the deed. The money did not come. An investiga-tion was made and it transpired that the paper left behind by the Grand Rapids sharks was a fake. The horse and carriage were found in the possesnon of the men arrested.

Involved in the Law.

Several days ago Mrs. Julia Goodyear began replevin proceedings against David R. Tafs, proprietor of the Hotel Vendome. The latter purchased the place from the former. Besides assuming the indebtedness, some \$1,100, he bought what personal property she had, including the range in the kitchen. There was some misunderstanding in regard to the purchase contract. Mr. Faft claimed that the stove was the property of Mrs. Carpenter of the War-rick, from whom Mrs. Goodyear had bought it, but never paid for it. In the nircuit court yesterday Mr. Taft began a counter suit in chancery, asking for an injunction restraining Mrs. Good-rear from interfering with the business of the hotel.

Harry Pease Missing.

Harry A. Pease, for the past six years connected with the business department of Tun HERALD, has been miss g ence Wednesday. The y-ung man has been leading a somewhat reckless see that his services were no los desired. His employment was mainly in the line of collecting for advertising and in doing this work he was enabled to misappropriate a considerable sum of money, but the exact sum cannot be ascertained until the books and accounts shall be thoroughly examined. His friends and relatives in the city know nothing of his whereabouts.

No Cause for Action.

Samuel R. Miller, who sued Benjamin F. William for \$1,000 for trespess, alleging that the defendant unlawfully out a large number of trees off he land in twom was beaten, a jury in the circuit court yesterday rendering a verdict of no cause for action.

Over a Water Spout. The case begun by Eliza Penelton

WAS IT A SUICIDE terday. The two ladies own bouses adjoining each other. The water spous on Mrs. Peneltoa's house projects on to Mrs. Scally's land. Some time ago they had a quarrel, which resulted in this suit, in which Mrs. Penelton seeks to have the water spout removed.

False Imprisonment Case.

The case of Silas White, colored, against Sheriff John McQueen, is now on trial in the circuit court. White wants \$5,000 damages for false imprisonment. He was arrested on the eve ning of August 2, last, for alleged participation in a row on a street car coming in from the lake. The arrest was made without process and White was discharged, there being no case against him.

Will of Arabella Leigh. The will of Arabelia Leigh of Gaines

township was filed in the probate court vesterday. See leaves \$2,200 worth of personal property, and bequeaths it all to her husband John Leigh during his life time, then it goes to her three Cartwight of this city is one of the brothers.

Minor Court Notes.

David McConnell was tried and convicted in police court y-sterday for committing a breach of the peace. He was arrested March 24 for conducting rding. He was suffering with an a disorderly dance in the basement of mas, for which Dr. McPherson had his saloon, No. 48 North Waterloo

Peter Van Seter, 15 years old, was arraigned in police court yesterday for being drunk. He told Sargent Webb he would be all right. Mr. and he had not drank beer. He drank only

box in police court yesterday was John Mangold, a robust West Side saloon-keeper. He was arrested on complaint of his wife, Mary, for assault and bat-

> LAW AND LAWYERS. Circuit Court-Part I.

JUDGE ADSIT. Samuel R. Miller vs Benjamen F. Willman trespass, verdict, no cause for

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Circuit Court-Part II. JUDGE GROVE.

Thomas Lillibridge vs Chauncey Lillibridge, trespass on the case. Eliza Pennelton vs Mary Scally, eject-

THE CLEARING HOUSES.

Table Showing the Percentage of Increase or Degrease for the Week NEW YORK, April 9.- The following

table compiled by Bradstreet's gives the clearing-house returns for the week ending April 7, 1892, and the percentage of increase or decrease as compared with the corresponding week

THE PERSON NAMED IN		SON	-
CLEANING HOUSES.	Clearings:	Inc	Dec.
New York	\$204,138,291	25.3	
Hoston	93.385.619	10.0	13.5
	90,425,023	25.0	
Chicago		22.9	****
Philadelphia	77,467,017		1000
St. Louis	21,767,307	EI	. 22.04
San Francisco	15,450,594		10.2
Baltimore	14,306,183	9.4	743.04
Cincinnati		22 1	
	14,561,834	8.8	
Pittsburgh			12 5
New Orleans	9,713,409	Pare	
Kansas City	8,861,772	CHARGE.	6.7
Buffalo	8,200,250	20.6	10000
Louisville	8,1102,852	10.3	
Minneapolis	6,085,299	28.4	
	6,917,411	11.8	33.57
Detroit			****
Milwaukee		28.6	2925
Oznahis	4,945,109	29.8	ding.
Providence	5.305,900	400	11.5
Denver	6.399,617	1.0	
Cleveland	5, 640, 237	15.7	1 534
	4,649,338	19.8	
St. Paul			21.1
Houston	2.513.535	1275	
Indengapolis	4.291,501	11.7	2000
Memphis, Tenn	2,872,468	2.2	
Calumbus.	4,639,800	36.4	1 82
Richmond	2,176,806		5.7
Dallas, Tex	1 000 000	13.8	100
Hartford	2,462,761	11.1	****
Duluth	1.697.629	=3.9	C Review
Nashville	2,016,686		2.7
Washington	2,153,483	23.4	A 445
St. Joseph		8.4	
Peoria	2,112,274	20.6	
People		6.7	
Portland, Ore	2,140,300		***
Rochester	1,845,227	12.2	
Salt Lake City	1,803,668	8.1	
New Haven	1.401,562	3.7	6.5
Portland, Me	1,358,665	-	6.3
Worcester	1,269,367	7.7	-
Springdebl	1,338,290		2.1
	505,445	12.2	
W 500		12.5	****
Sioux City	1,25,578	9.1	1/20/2
Fort Worth	867,008	2544	80.1
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Wilmington Del	905.944	21.6	
Lowell	673.011	227	28.1
TOUGHT	#16.G32	12.2	
Grand Rapids		10.0	28.3
Scattle	1,041,008	- TTT-	
Бутасине.	970, 150	4.5	4140
Des Moines	1,191,858	28.5	
Tacoma	737,003	4164	17.1
Los Angeles	600,800		8.4
	677,212	25.1	
Lincoln	851 116		
Wichits	551,445	5.0	
Lexington	461,909	6.1	- SEA
Birmingham	534.508	*110	35.6
New Bedford	561,373	2000	11.4
Topeka	385,554	****	11.0
	4,392,129		16.0
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HERSEY'S LITTLE GAME.

He Made Money on Cooper's Slips Information Obtained from the Pension Office Ostensibly for the Indiana Congressman Sold to Attorneys Who Were Willing to

Pay Liberally. WASHINGTON. April 9. - The testimony submitted in the pension office investigation Thursday in regard to S. R. Hersey's action in selling information obtained from the pension office had the effect of bringing Representative Brookshire, of Indiana, and Representative Gantz, of Ohio, the two members who employ Hersey to do pension work for them, before the committee Friday morning. Mr. Brookshire said Hersey had been hired to attend to his pension husiness. So far as receiving any compensation from a soldier, the matter never entered his head, and if abuse of privilege had occurred by Hersey he never heard of it.

Mr. Gants made a similar statement. S. R. Hersey was then called as a witness. He said he had been emplayed by Representatives Durborow, Perkins, Brookshire and Strable, but against Mary Scaley was taken up by he had no understanding that he was said Coll Judge Grove in the execute court yes to receive pay from others than these attend.

who employed him. Representative Cooper and he did not have any such understanding. The members who employed him did not know that he was r celving pay from attorneys. He was benefiting soldiers by giving information to attorneys, and that was all there was to it. He did not think the congressmen who employed him had knowledge that he was receiving pay from attorneys for furnishing informa tion. He acknowledged selling this information on the call slip of Represen tatives Cooper and Brookshire and thought he had done so on Representative Perkins' slips, but not on those of Representative Gantz.

Mr. Hersey admits that he sold information regarding something like 250 pension cases, and as the usual fee was \$25 he must have made considerable money out of the business.

Oriental Rugs. We have opened a permanent de-partment for the exhibition of Oriental

rugs, and you are cordially invited to inspect this beautiful offering. SMITH & SANFORD. Use the A. & P. baking powder, absolutely pure, 45c per lb. Can only be bought at the Great Atlantic and Pa-

cific Tea C . 's, 108 Monroe street. Low Rates to Detroit.

On secount of the republican state convention at Detroit, the Detroit, Lansing & Northern railroad will sel tickets on April 13 and 14 good to re-turn notil April 15, at one and onethird fare.

GEO. DEHAVEN, G. P. A. Hariman is going out of the furniselling his entire stock at prices that will surely close out the stock early in

Buy Furniture at Hartman's closing out sale. Now is your chance for bargains.

The display of fine pianos and organs at Friedrich's, 30 and 3\$ Canal street, this week is one of the most complete and elaborate ever offered the musical public of Grand Rapids. All the new styles of finest in standard makes and torms are on sale. The mstruments are all of the highest grade and their value sustained by the high character of Mr. Friedrich.

Go to the Great Atlantic & Pacific T a Co. for your teas, coffees, baking powder and condensed milk. Watch for their Easter panel entitled Shoo. 108 Monroe street.

For Judge Arnold's Funeral At Allegan today, special train will be run via Chicago & West Michigan railway, leaving Union station at 10 a. m.,

GEORGE DEHAVEN, General Passenger Agent.

Bargains in all lines of high grade furniture at Hartman's closing out sale. First come, first Use the A. & P. baking powder, abso-

lutely pure, 45c per lb. Can only be bought at the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co.'s, 108 Monroe street. Turkish and Russian baths, corner

Monroe and Ionia streets. Every Tuesday afternoon and evening and Friday forenoons reserved exclusively for ladies; balance of the time for gentlemen. I remove corns, bunions and warts for men, women and children at

M. S. LA BOURSLIER, Prop.

Three pounds of Mocha and Java coffee for \$1 at the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co., 108 Monroe street. Try it.

The Adams & Company Millinery opening and Easter sale proved to be a phenomenal success. The display of hats was the largest and finest shown in the retail linesethis year and comprised many artistic French povelties and dress hats of surpa-sing beauty and elegance. Very large sales are being realized, the magnificent assortment is being fully kept up and many new things are arriving daily.

Go to the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co. for your teas, coffee, baking powder and condensed milk. Watch for their Easter panel entitled Snoo. 108 Monroe street.

Window Shades.

We are headquarters on window shades. Let us give you an estimate. You will be surprised how little money is required to shade your entire house. SMITH & SANFORD.

Use the A. & P. baking powder, absolutely pure, 45c per lt. Can only be bought at the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co.'s. 108 Monroe street.

The family of Mrs. Lena Greulich wish to tender their sincere thanks to their neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted them in their late bereavement-the death of their two sone, Fand and Adolph.

MRS. LENA GREULICH AND FAMILY. Hark! I hear the mothers ang. Field's Worm Powders is just the thing,

Pleasant to take, acting mild, By their use they cured my child. Ask your druggest for them. Every sack of LILY WHITE FLOUR has a picture of our mill. None genuine

without it. VALLEY CITY MILLING Co. Wait for the Corl. Knott & Co. grand Easter millinery opening of the retail department, Tuesday and Wendesday

of pest week.

Corl. Knott & Co.'s Opening. The Easter opening of Corl, Knott & Co.'s retail milisnery department will occur on Tuesday and Wednesday next. The event is being looked forward to with much interest and eagerness by those desiring a sight of the latest por-eities in French millinery. The Easter opening will be the event of the year in

Knights of the Maccabees. The Werner tent, No. 127 will give a pedro party Wednesday evening April 13, at their ball, corner of Plainfield and Coit avenues. All are invited to



ONE ENJOYS

Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the teste, and acts rently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the sys-tem effectually, dispels colds, head-aches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commends. many excellent qualities commend it o all and have made it the most

popular remedy known.

Syrup of Figs is for sale in 50c and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists. Any reliable druggist who may not have it on hand will proure it promptly for any one who ishes to try it. Do not accept any

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. LOUISVILLE, KT. NEW YORK, N.Y.

THE MARKETS.

Brain, Provisions, Etc. CHICAGO, April 2 FLOUR-Quiet and firm. Spring Wheat Pat ents. \$4.5004.90; Rye, \$4.65025.00; Winter Whea Flour Patents, \$4.6004.70; Straights, (3.3004.40 WHEAT-Ruled very unsettled. No. 2 cash and April, \$40.86c; May, \$40.86c, and July, \$44.

and April, 846,86c; May, 846,86c, and July, 844, 686c.

CORN-Moderately active and unsettled, and No. 2 same as May: No. 3, 39c; No. 3 Yellow 404,6404c; May, 406,404c; July, 3346,394c.

OATS-Were stronger and higher. No. 2 cash 794,630c; May, 294,63004c; July, 274,6284, Samples in moderate supply and higher. No. 3 284,630c; No. 2 White, 314,630c; No. 2 White, 324,630c; No. 2 304,630c; No. 2 White, 324,630c; No. 2 cash, 764,670c.

RTE-Quiet and firm. No. 2 cash, 764,670c.

BARLET-Rather slow, yet steady. Sound fair to choice, 456,55c; unsound, inferior to good 336,42c.

fair to choice, 45@35c; unsound, inferior to good 350±2c.

MESS PORR—Dull and lower. Cash, \$10.65g 10.25; May, \$10.15@10.35; July, \$10.20@10.75; LARD—Quiet and lower. Cash, \$8.20@4.27½; May, \$0.20@4.27½; May, \$0.20@4.27½; May, \$0.20@4.27½; Live Ducks, \$10.20@4.27½; POULTRY—Live Chickens, \$10\cdot 27½; POULTRY—Live Chickens, \$10\cdot 27½; Poultry—Live Geese, \$3.00@7.00 per dozen BUTTFR—Creamery, 20@25c; Dairy, \$13@25c; Packing Stock, \$10@15c.

OILS—Wisconsin Prime White, 7½c; Water White, 7½c; Michigan Prime White, \$1\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$1\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$1\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$1\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$1\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$1\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$1\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$1\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$1\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$1\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$1\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$1\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$1\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$1\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$10\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$10\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$10\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$10\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$10\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$10\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$10\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$10\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$10\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$10\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$10\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; Indiana Prime White, \$10\cdot 20; Water White, \$10\cdot 20; I

WHEAT—Excited, advanced %215c early or builtsh west, higher cables and expected builtsh government report; reacted 5,25c on realists and further advanced. No 2 Red April, 963 281c. May 950 353c. Inc. 931, 963c. July 634, 234c; August. 9254, 2334c; September, 924 6924c; December, 944, 235c. Conn—Dull, 1424c lower, easy. No. 2, 5246

Sec. steamer mixed, 599;6253;c.

OATS-Dull, firmer, Western. 36341c.
PROVISIONS-Beef quiet, unchanged. Extra mess. 87,50628 50; family 80,50610 50. Pork in active, steady. New mess, \$11,000,11,50; old mess, \$19,506,10,00; extra prime, \$11,50. Lard firmer, quiet Steam-rendered, \$6.52%.

PETROLEUM—Quiet. Standard white, 110 deg. test, 6%c: 74 gasoline, 7c; 86 gasoline, 10c; 68 napths, 6%c.

CATELE—Market fairly active: prices steady. Quotations ranged at \$4.355.4.85 for choice to extra shipping Steers; \$3.656.4.30 for good to choice do.; \$2.356.3.75 for fair to good; \$3.056.85 for common to medium do.; \$2.093.50 for butchers' Steers; \$2.6093.30 for Stockers; \$2.77 (\$3.75 for Texas Steers; \$3.1063.30 for Feeders; \$1.5063.40 for Cows; \$1.7563.00 for Bulls, and \$2.0065.25 for Veal Calves.

Hogs—Market active and prices 5c higher. Sales ranged at \$4.007 to for Pigs; \$4.3564.70 for light; \$4.0564.40 for rough packing; \$4.256.40 for mixed; \$4.4564.775; for heavy packing —1 shipping lots.

GRAND RAPIDS MARKETS. CHICAGO, April &

GRAND RAPIDS MARKETS.

Prices to Farmers.

Gwais-Whent, 85c; corn, 46c; oats, 30c; ree.
Too: barley \$1.10 p cwt; luckwheat, 46c p bu.
Mear-Ree, 45-25c; pors, 66-24c; mutter,
20; soring tamb, 76-30; fowis, 8c; soring
chickens, 11c; vent, 6c; turkeys, 116-11c;
ducks, 116-12c; clover seed, \$4.50 p bu.
Proover-Rutter, 20c; eags, 125-c; potatoes,
20c p bu.; beets, 25c p bu.; nontons, 60c p bu.;
beans, \$1.10 p bu.; honey, 16c; apples, \$2.25
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Fig. 12 And Fard-Lily White, \$2.40; Patent, \$2.50 a cwt; buckwheat flour, \$2.50 a cwt; oern mest, \$9 a ten; red, \$15520 a ten; middlings, \$18 a ten; bran, \$18 a ten; sarcecalings, \$18 a ten; bran, \$18 a ten; sarcecalings, \$18 a ten; bran, \$18 a ten; sarcecalings, \$18 a ten; bran, \$18 a ten; Max-Pork steak, 10c; roasts, 10c; ribs, \$c; tenderlein, 1295c; ham 12c; best steak, \$810c; roast, \$816; rib, \$6; mutton, \$6814; spring in \$100, \$6816c; spring in \$100, \$100

Prof. John P. Gnild will give a half hour's talk on "Woman's Place in History," at Kennedy's hall, Sunday evening at 7:30. All are invited.



SYRUP FIGS SPECIAL SALE. On Saturday, April 9th, at 9 o'clock, sharp, (not before) we shall open a GLOVE, MITT and HOSIERY Sale to last until 12 o'clock. You ask why not longer. Because the bargains are so great that it would interfere with our regular trade, and this sale is for YOUR bene-

> fit, not ours. Look at what we offer in this sale. These are European manufacturers samples-no two pair alike:

35c, 50c, 75c, 1.00 and 1.25 silk gloves and mitts for 29c. per pair.

20c, 30c, 40c, 50c and 75c infants' wool hose for 16c. per pair.

30c, 40c, 50c, 60c and 75c Misses wool hose, 23c. pr pair. 25c, 35c, 40c, 50c and 60c ladies' full fashioned hose for 17c. per pair.

Children's mitts in proportion. First come will get first choice.

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